

February 22

Revelation 2:2-4

**“Works, Patience,
Testing, and
1st Love”**

**² I know thy works, and thy
labour, and thy patience,
and how thou canst not
bear them which are evil:
and thou hast tried them
which say they are
apostles, and are not, and
hast found them liars:**

³ And hast borne, and hast
patience, and for my
name's sake hast
laboured, and hast not
fainted. ⁴ Nevertheless I
have somewhat against
thee, because thou hast
left thy first love.

QUESTIONS FOR THOUGHT

What is this
admonishment about?
Who has “somewhat
against” whom, and what

is meant by leaving
“thy first love”?

Were these words
directed to fellowships
of the past but are
applicable even today?

Is it, as many teach,
speaking to individual
readers regarding their
personal relationships
with God?

How should this
passage be interpreted
in present times?